

# E-Cloud Simulation With VORPAL

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# Goals: (I) E-Cloud Sim itself.

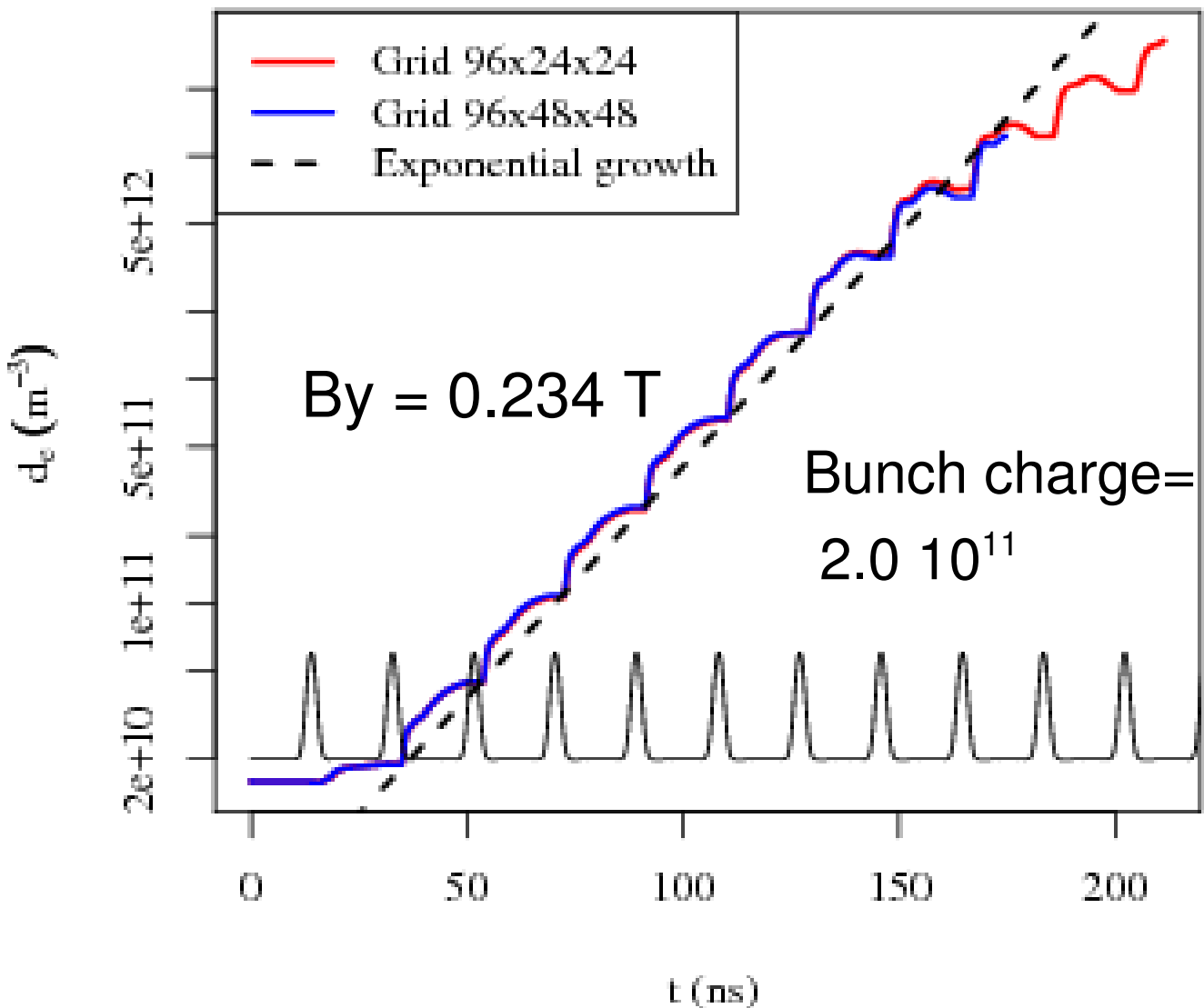
- Study of systematic uncertainty in e-cloud density and induced Electric field at beam location.
  - Varying Usual PIC parameters (grid size, weights,..)
  - Secondary Emission Model parameters.
- Dependency of e-Cloud density on beam current: monotonic or not?
  - Effect of the decrease of the SEY above 300 EeV?
  - Or approximations in the calculation.?

# Goals: (II) $\mu$ -Wave Experiment

- Amplitude vs frequency modulation: Linear theory predicts no AM. Indirect E-density measurement are difficult to interpret if AM occurs... Up to the experimentalist to show that they don't occur. -> Detailed simulation of the m-wave signal required.
- Simulation of the 14 m. long “old” (FY09) setup at MI, then, if applicable, the new 2 m. long “short, B=0.” at MI currently in operation...
- Extra-credit: role of ions, hybrid resonances?

# Example of systematic uncertainties studies

- E-Cloud induced Electric field at  $\sim 3$  sigma from the beam, vs grid spacing.. w/o static magnetic field.
- Steps in the calculations:
  - Remove m-wave, for sake of simplicity
  - Short beam pipe, to speed things up ( but not too short, to avoid leakage on the side.
  - Weighted Monte-Carlo ( not yet there..)

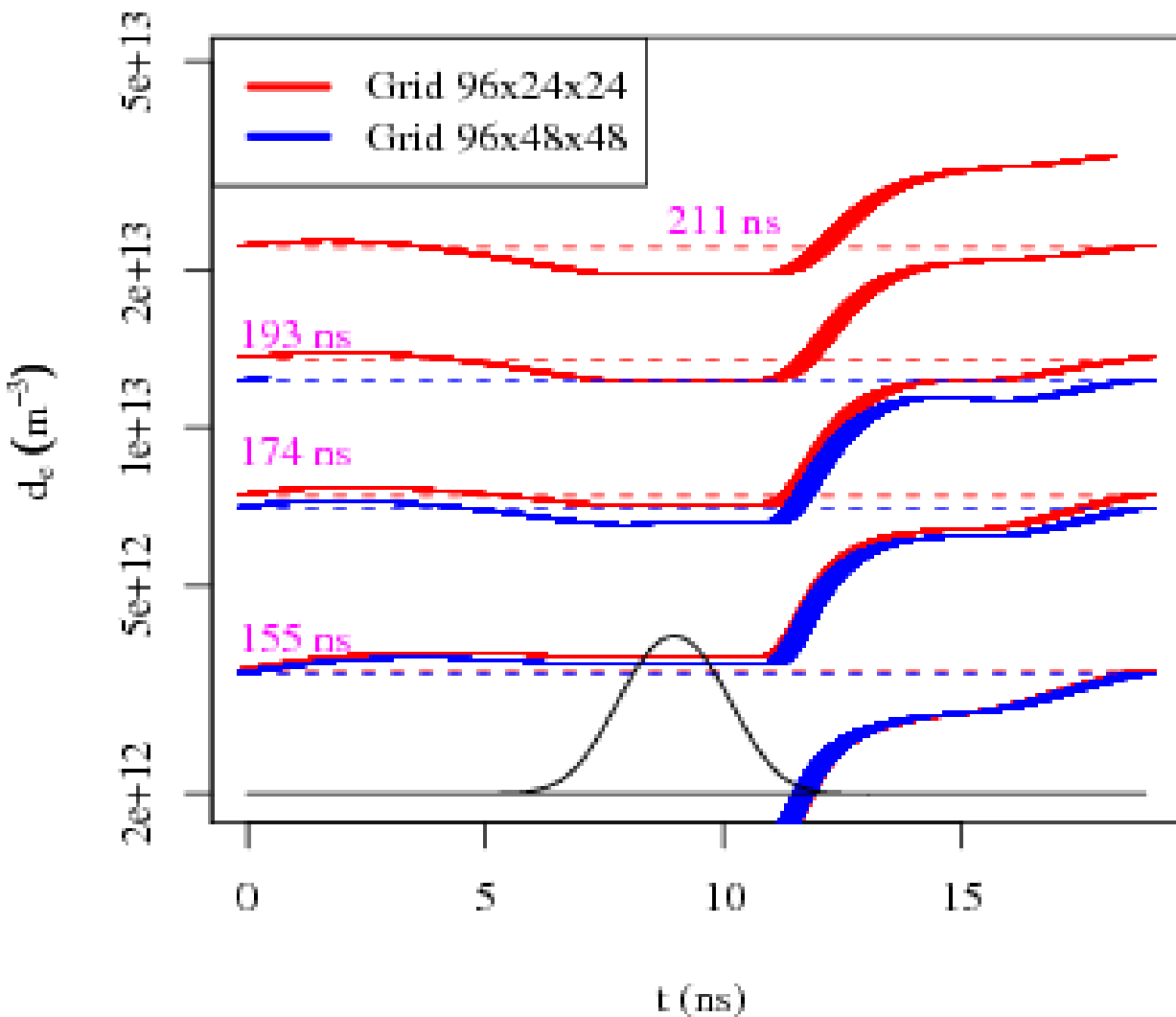


Simulation of the  
of the e-cloud  
growth:

- cell size  $\sim 1 \text{ mm}$
- Length: 25 cm.
- time step: 3 to 5 ps.

Result:

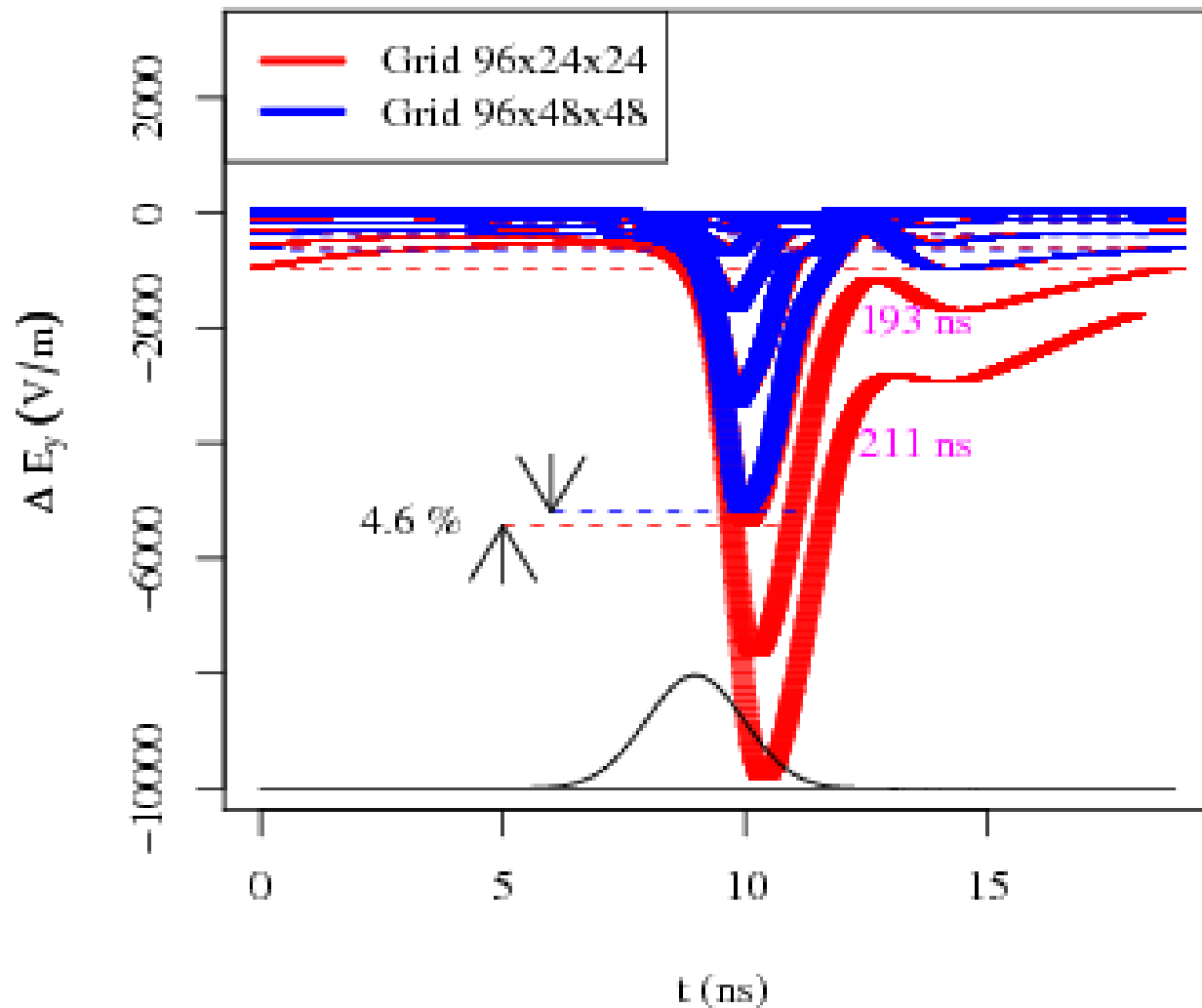
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... Modulo beam freq.

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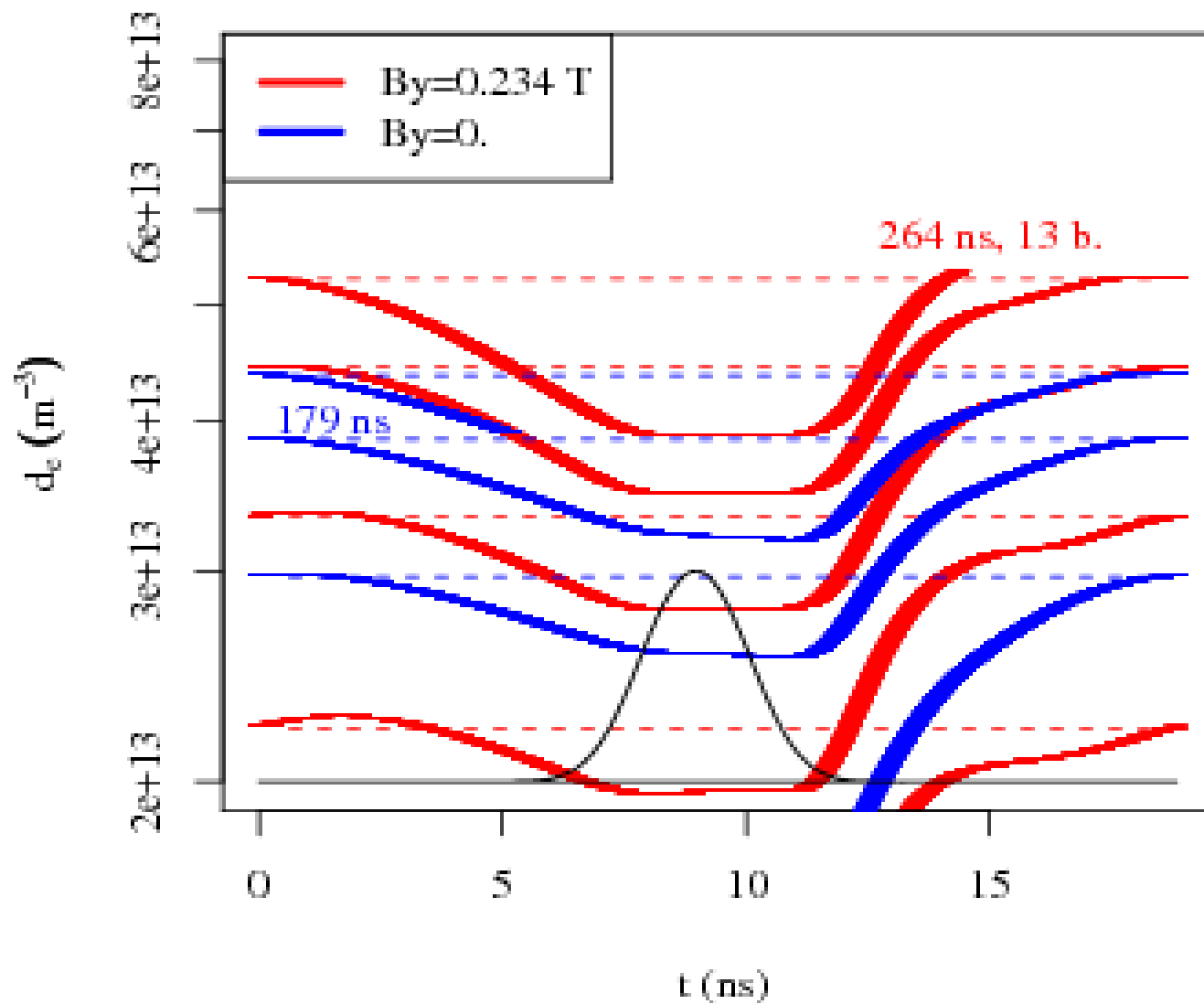
- Clear indication of saturation, without electron culling, or “dark surface”.
- At  $\sim 5 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ e/m}^{-3}$ , linear density of e-Cloud  $\sim$  bunch, after 10 to 15 bunches.



... What counts  
for beam physics:

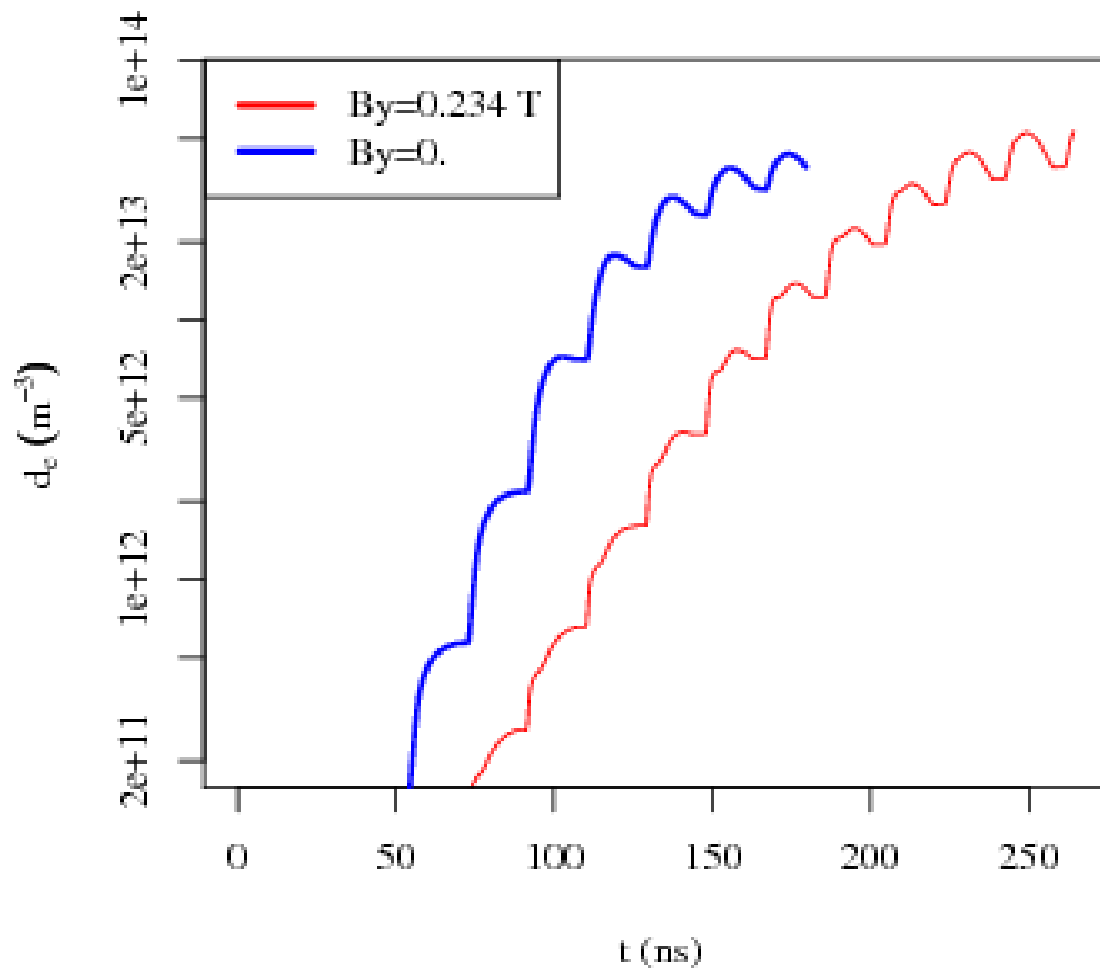
Electric field induced  
by the e-Cloud  
Obtained by  
subtracting w/o seed  
electrons

At 1 cm above from  
center of beam  
(or beam pipe)



Close to 100%  
saturation of  
linear charge...



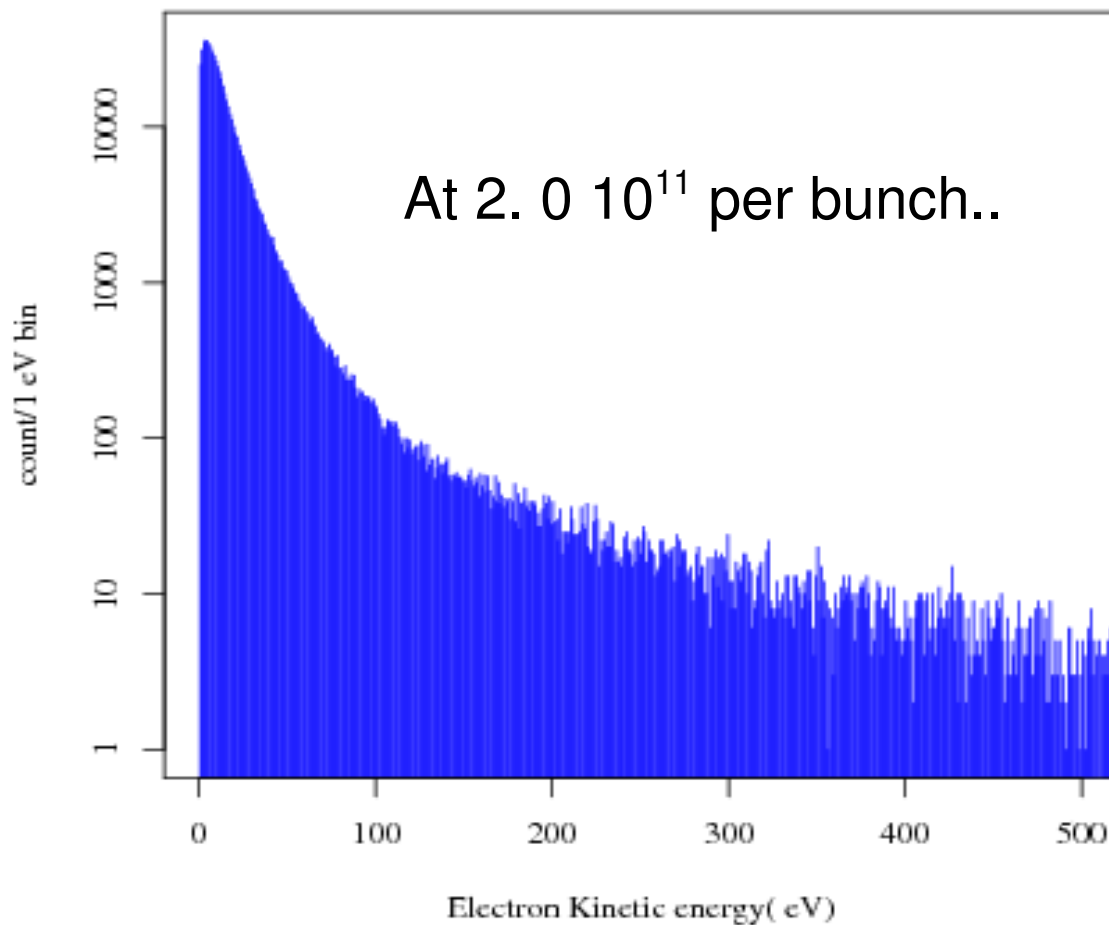


Running a bit longer..

Saturation clearly seen  
after  $\sim 13$  bunches...

Slower with a magnetic  
field ( as expected.. )

# Energy Spectrum:



Recorded after  
a few bunches crossing.

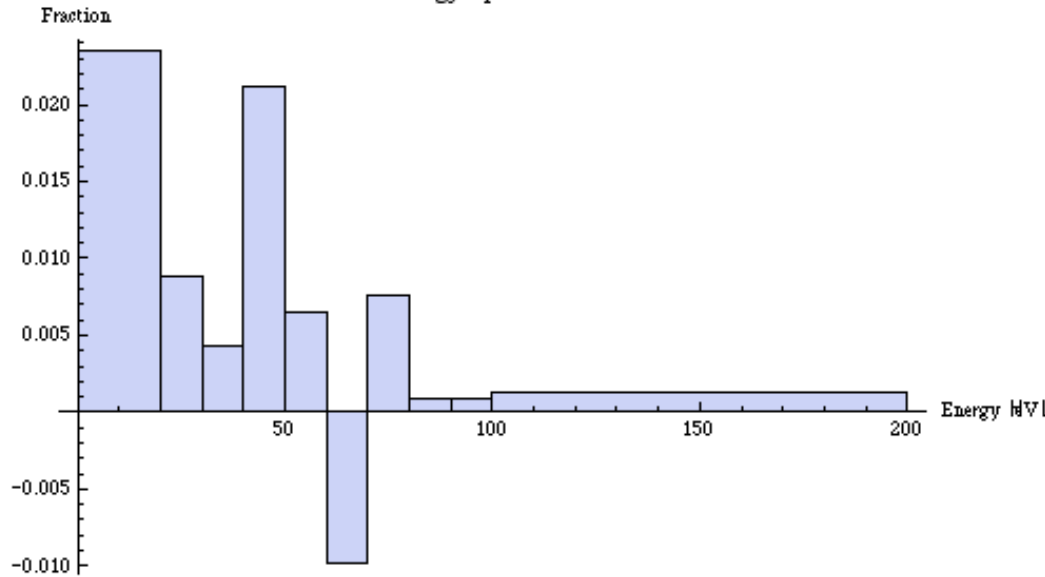
Might not be the steady  
during the train, but close...

Dominated by low energy..

From Tan's talk, Sept 24 2009...

# Energy Spectrum

RFA1 Ecloud Energy Spectrum from 1s to 1.05s



RFA2,3 amplified.

Ignore 0-20eV?

Max energy around 40-50eV.

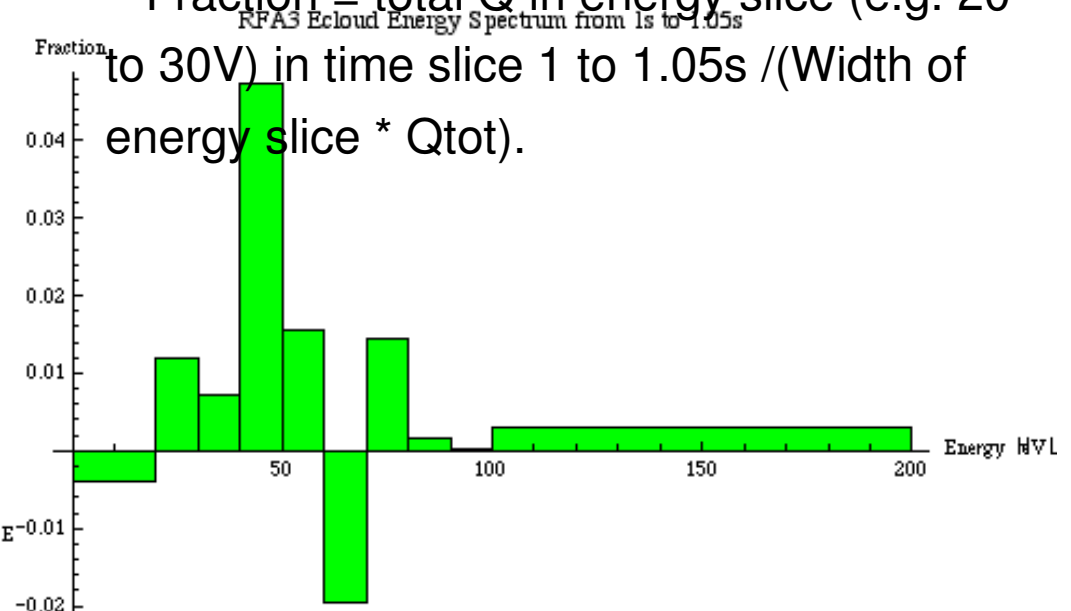
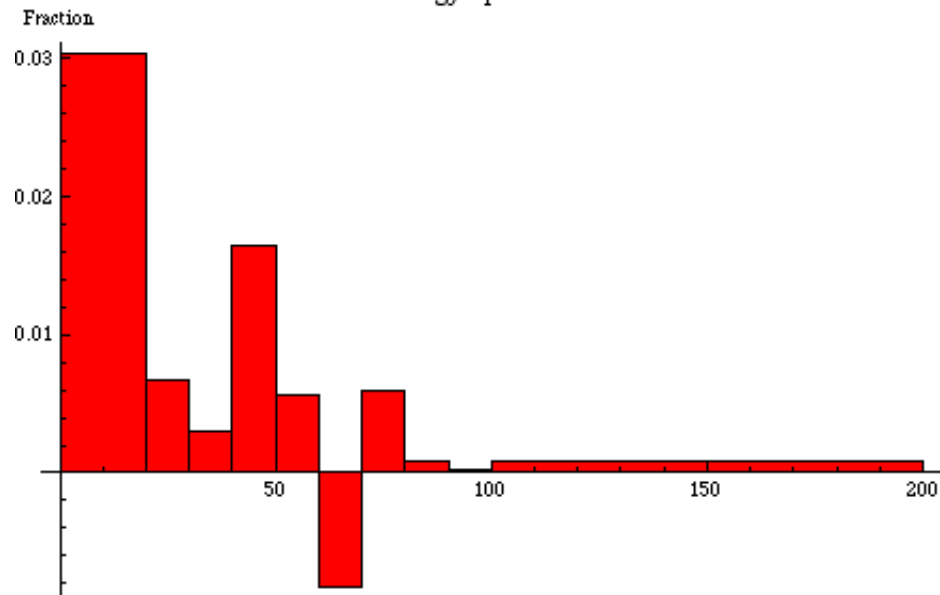
Definition of fraction:

$Q_{tot}$  = all the charge in the time slice 1 to 1.05 s at "0" volts

Fraction = total Q in energy slice (e.g. 20

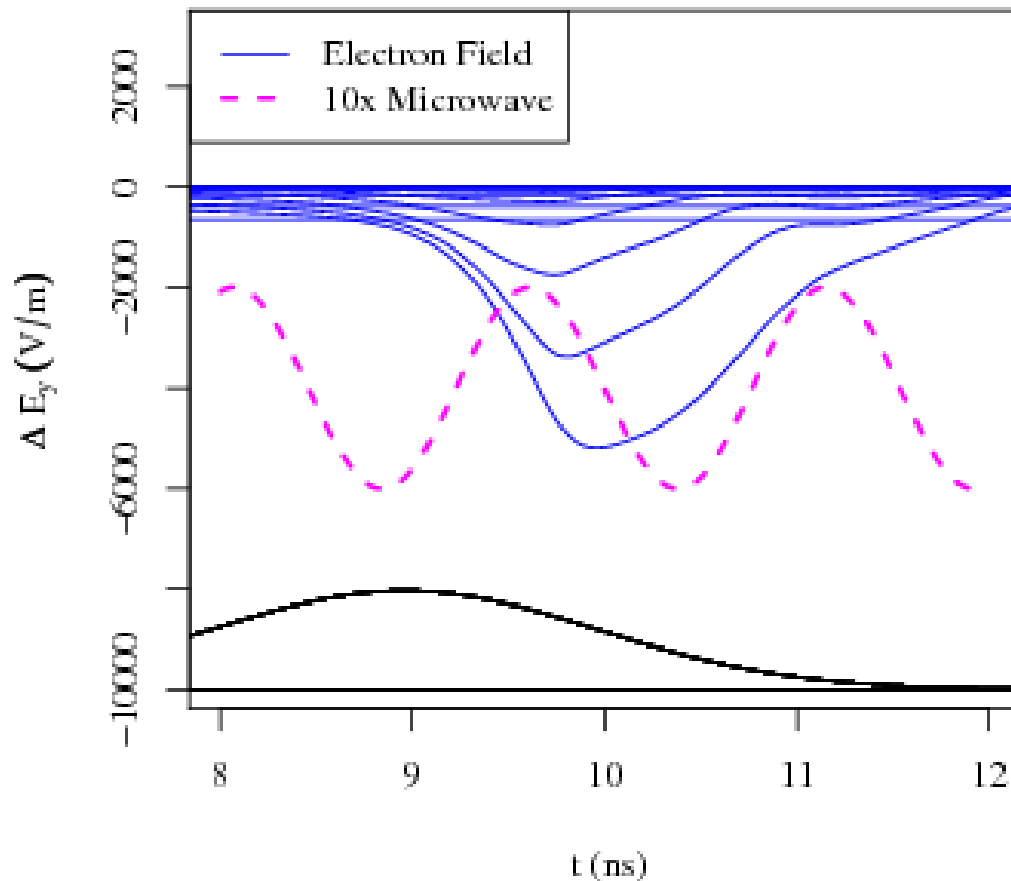
to 30V) in time slice 1 to 1.05s / (Width of energy slice \*  $Q_{tot}$ ).

RFA2 Ecloud Energy Spectrum from 1s to 1.05s



# $\mu$ -Wave: Amplitude Modulation?

*Nathan E. : “No A.M. Modulation seen over the 14 m. long”*



Same composite plots  
as previous, with  
the 1.5 GHz

e-could induced field  
~10 time higher, same  
v range.  $\Rightarrow$  AM !

*But appears at 53.1 MHz !...*

# AM: Simulation issues.

- Integrating away the 53.1 MHz. “Averaging over many, many bunches” ? Brute force: with the existing VORPA script, no can do.. Clever algorithm? Repeat bunches? Accuracy!???
- Quasi dipole blip seen in previous slide: does not couple to the BPM at 1.5 GHz.. Unseen..
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# Plans: Physics issues

- Many parameters to scan -> tedious..
- Most Critical source of uncertainties comes from Secondary emission model!..
- M-wave: simulation of cancelation of signals at 53.1 MHz via integration over many bunches, => not feasible right now.. need ~100 times more CPU power of other idea..

# Plans: Required VORPAL upgrades.

- Access to Secondary Emission model parameters
- Ability to cull the electron cloud. Simple, light CPU load algorithm preferred. (strictly random cull!)
- Port to Intrepid. (or, just use multipole for a few month (year/))

*How can I help???*